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TO AMEMBASSY PARIS IMMEDIATE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 071732

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT, VS

SUBJECT: EVACUATION OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

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REF: A. STATE 071355; B. PARIS 08015

FOR PARIS:

1. RE PARA 5 REF B, WHILE PUBLIC ORDER SITUATION IN DANANG APPARENTLY REMAINS CHAOTIC, WE HAVE NO INFORMATION THAT THE CITY HAS FALLEN TO THE COMMUNISTS.
2. WHATEVER THE CASE, GOF SHOULD BE AWARE THAT TRANSPORTATION ASSETS WHICH USG IS PROVIDING WILL BE DEVOTED TO REFUGEE EVACUATION NOT ONLY IN THE DANANG AREA BUT IN OTHER AREAS ALONG THE COAST OF SOUTH VIET-NAM WHERE THE NEED MIGHT BE DEVELOPING. WE WOULD HOPE GOF WOULD VIEW EVACUATION NEED IN THIS BROADER CONTEXT. WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR SYMPATHETIC GOF RESPONSE TO OUR APPROACH AND WOULD URGE AGAIN THAT GOF FURNISH WHATEVER ASSETS IT CAN IN SHORTEST POSSIBLE TIME.
3. RE PARA 1 REF B, BY SEPTEL (NOTAL) WE HAVE ASKED EMBASSY SAIGON TO URGE MFA TO APPROPRIATELY INSTRUCT GVN EMBASSIES IN PARIS AND ELSEWHERE.

FOR INFO ADDRESSEES:

4. IN DISCUSSING THIS MATTER WITH HOST GOVERNMENTS, REQUEST YOU MAKE THE POINT ABOUT BROADER CONTEXT OF EVACUATION SET FORTH IN PARA 2 ABOVE. KISSINGER

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